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Subject: RE: PHCC National - R-22a

Hi Mark. I am pleased that Katie Owens and I have been able to have some general, factual discussions with you about EPA's recent Finding of Violation issued to Enviro-Safe. I am also fine with having my contact information be available to your membership in case they have any additional refrigerant safety questions that EPA might be able to answer.

That being said, I just read the PHCC newsletter for 9/13/13 and noted the following language: "PHCC continues to work with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on the agency's ongoing investigation on R-22a..."

I am concerned that this language might be misconstrued to give the impression that PHCC is somehow assisting EPA in its enforcement functions. It may also be interpreted to imply that EPA has made a judgment about Enviro-Safe's actions which, as we discussed, is not the case; the FOV is a preliminary finding only.

I would be happy to talk with you about alternate ways to describe our interactions to date if you think it would be helpful.

Thanks for your understanding.

Louise

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Louise –

Each Friday, Dr. Kennedy issue a weekly newsletter (Weekly Report) to PHCC leadership, state executives, as well as a myriad of other industry leaders. In the next issue (Friday September 6, 2013) a short article (update) will appear regarding the issue of R-22 (R-22a) and the fine work of EPA.

That said and with regard to our discussion yesterday, we would like to ask PHCC members (in the Weekly Report) if they have experienced, and would be willing to provide anecdotal information regarding any dangerous contact they may have had with R-22a.

Would you be receptive if we were to provide your contact information (in the Weekly Report) in order for PHCC members to contact you directly (or your designee)? We view this as a way to work together and an efficient/effective method of collecting any information you may believe to be valuable. We certainly appreciate this opportunity and want to assure you of our sincerity to be helpful to your work on this issue.

If you are receptive please let me know, along with your direct contact information.

Again Louise, thank you and we look forward to working with you, Mark

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